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Plain Points

Local News.

He who by his biz would rise Must either bust or advertise. The Peach sisters. Bring in your job printing. Opening ball game tomorrow. Watch the label on your paper. There is so much bad in the best of us.

And so much good in the worst of us That it is not charitable in any of us To talk about the rest of us.

Mason & Urban our hollow block makers have secured the contract to furnish blocks for a fine \$3,000 residence in Rose City Park.

Burnett, who will pitch the opening game for Albina tomorrow against the Apostles, comes highly recommended. He was with Waterloo in the Iowa league and has a mean breaking curve and speed. Weed will attend to the receiving for Albina.

Earle D. Walker has opened another cigar stand in front of Magoon's saloon and will operate both stands. Earl is a successful cigar dealer and keeps a fine line of cigars, tobaccos, pipes and smokers supplies on hand. He also carries a fine line of box candles.

Miss Stella Campbell was down from Camas, Wash., where she is teaching school and spent Sunday with the home folks. She made the trip on the North Bank road. When trains run more frequently as they will when the road is completed and in good order, it will be possible for her to leave her school Friday evening and return Monday morning.

B. T. Leggett has succeeded in getting the commissioners to improve Richmond street down to the city dock. This street is the old county road and Mr. Leggett has been working with the commissioners for a long time to get them to have this work done. They instructed our genial Roadmaster Simmons to do this work soon as possible and work was commenced Tuesday.

Dr. Ben L. Norden, candidate for county coroner, visited St. Johns this week in the interest of his candidacy for the republican nomination. Dr. Norden was born in Portland 31 years ago and is a practicing physician in his home city. He met many of his old friends who feel confident of his election, as they feel that the time has arrived when the coroner's office should be filled by a physician.

W. B. Evans, who has been employed in the cordage works in Portland, met with a very painful accident Wednesday of last week. While at work a steel bar weighing several hundred pounds dropped upon the great toe of his left foot and mashed all of it off that came under the bar. Brother Evans is obliged to go with a flat wheel since, and it is a great inconvenience. We know how it is and he has our sympathy.

Mr. Griffiths with D. R. Norton, met with quite a painful accident last week. He, with others, was moving the piano in Bickner's hall from the floor to the stage, and in some unaccountable manner the piano was allowed to topple over on him. It preserved the piano from injury but it was rather hard on Mr. Griffiths and laid him up for several days. If this would happen to some of the piano confectionists we have been compelled to listen to it would be a blessing to humanity, but to come to an industrious young man like Mr. Griffiths seems the irony of fate. We are glad to see him out at his post of duty again, however. You couldn't keep some people down if you put a house on them.

Some one or more, and we think it is more, persons, who have no regard for the seventh commandment nor yet for the laws of the land and of the city have been in the habit of entering the banquet hall of the Odd Fellow's lodge and stealing all they could put their hands on that is good to eat. At the recent basket social they stole two or three or more baskets, and Monday night of this week they went into the banquet hall after the guests had departed and carried off a large number of oranges, some pies, a lot of cake and other eatables which did not belong to them. Such contemptible sneak thieves should be taken over a barrel face down, their anatomies cultivated with a leather strap until they would be compelled to eat standing for a month.

J. E. Brink, of St. Johns, who is well known here, was in the city the first of the week in company with C. A. Monroe and L. P. Branstetter of Ferndale, Cal., and are looking over the field with the idea of moving their bottling and canning factory to Hood River, and will consolidate with the Hood River Cider Vinegar Co., if additional stock can be secured here. The gentlemen appeared before the Commercial club Tuesday evening and had a sample of the champagne cider manufactured by Mr. Monroe in California, and it was an excellent article. They have made arrangements with Mr. Calkins to consolidate with him and add the bottling and canning machinery to the already complete vinegar plant, provided \$5,000 additional is secured in cash for a working capital. Hood River Glacier.

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Cream at the Home Creamery, 15c a pint; buttermilk, two gallons for 15c; sweet milk, 8c per quart.

Fine line of cigars, tobaccos, candies, nuts, fresh fruits constantly on hand at Al Harris' old stand. E. D. Walker.

If you want a modern house 4 blocks from the postoffice for your vacant property. See E. C. Hurlbert, 440 Chicago St. 18tc

Headlight overalls, union made, \$1.00 at Prall's.

All our meats are government inspected and the best that money can buy. They are neatly and carefully handled. Come in and leave your order for free delivery. Ward's Central Market.

Ready made sheets and pillow slips all prices at Prall's. Holbrook Block.

\$2400 buys 7 room modern house bath, pantry and cement basement. Lot 100x100 nicely fenced, 3 apple trees, 2 cherries, 60 logan berries, 200 strawberries. Fine river view; four blocks from postoffice. 1/2 cash, balance 2 years at 7 per cent. See owner, 622 North Edison or address postoffice box 231. St. Johns, Oregon. 19tc

Boss of the Road overalls, black and blue, 85c at Prall's.

The city election is now past and doubtless every one voted for those whom he considered the best qualified to fill the various offices, yet some will be disappointed. But if you will go to 207 South Jersey street to buy your canned goods, salt, pepper, flavoring, extracts, baking powder, soda, soap, corn flakes, Violet oats, lamp chimneys and all the other essentials for the house. You will not be disappointed. There you will also find fresh eggs and butter sold at prices as low as the lowest. Honorable treatment accorded to every one. R. F. Lash, 207 S. Jersey, street, St. Johns, Oregon.

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McKINNEY, St. Johns Heights Station.

The members of the Christian church are building a temporary house of worship on their lot near the Baptist church. This will save them their rent, which they can devote to swelling the building fund for a fine structure. They had commenced to make preparations to build when the hard times scare came on and they hesitated to do anything and concluded to put up this house until after the presidential election, when matters became settled and then to build a permanent place of worship.

The Artisans gave an entertainment in the Bickner hall Monday evening which was a very nice musical and literary event. It was the work of the Goodnough concert troupe and was spoken of very highly by those who were present. The Artisans have the name everywhere of giving the best there is going. In our old home town we enjoyed many delightful evenings with the Artisans and we shall make it our pleasure to attend their meetings here oftener in the future. It was impossible for us to attend this entertainment, though we very much desired to do so.

The Fraternal Brotherhood is going the pace. Last Friday night this lodge was visited by State Manager F. E. Taylor and tonight it gives a big dance. The great event of the month however, will be on the 24th when a large delegation from the Portland, Sellwood and Oregon City lodges will assist at a big initiation. Twenty-five candidates are expected to ride the goat at this time. The drill team of Portland lodge No. 209 is expected to be in attendance and to put on the initiatory work, Gus C. Moser, Judge Morrow and other prominent men will be in attendance.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

The Peach sisters are coming. You get your money's worth at Prall's.

Opening ball games in St. Johns tomorrow and Sunday.

Subscribe for the Telegram—best evening paper on the coast. See Ed Stockton.

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We will keep open until nine o'clock evenings for the benefit of our patrons who are busy through the day—Vogue Millinery.

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Lost—Stickpin, four diamonds, one black, one amethyst, two yellow ones. Was three-cornered with one below. Finder please leave at this office.

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Downey Lost His Clothes.

We met our good friend Sam Downey on the street the other day and were somewhat amused at the way he was scoring the council for their late ordinance in regard to the relaying the water pipes. Sam seemed to be in an unpleasant frame of mind about it and could see no way out of the difficulty. He would rather that the water company should go on in their own unwarranted way of slamming the water pipes down any old way than to have the council take this action. Sam was dressed up in a nice, clean suit of blue denim overalls from head to foot and it made him look fine, just like a laboring man. We never saw Sam looking better and we wondered why he was so disconsolate, and it never occurred to us until yesterday, when another, a good friend of us both whispered that Sam had been betting on the election with that Hewitt boy, (H. S.) and lost all his good clothes, his Sunday suit, his newly dyed suit, in fact all the clothes Sam had but the overalls, and he had to wear them until he could get some others made. We don't blame Sam for kicking this time. Any old council that would put us in the hole like that we would want cashed, sandpapered, varnished with tar, rolled in a feather bed and rode out of town on a bucking broncho. Our sympathy is with you Sam if it costs us a dollar.

No. 9047.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT. Office of Comptroller of the Currency. Washington, D. C., Feb. 28, 1908.

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that the

"FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ST. JOHNS" in the City of St. Johns

in the County of Multnomah and State of Oregon, has complied with all the provisions of the statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking.

Now, therefore, I, William B. Ridgely, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that the

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in the County of Multnomah and state of Oregon, is authorized to commence the business of banking as provided in Section Fifty-one Hundred and Sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

In testimony whereof I witness my hand and seal of office this twenty-eighth day of February, 1908.

WM. B. RIDGELY, Comptroller of the Currency.

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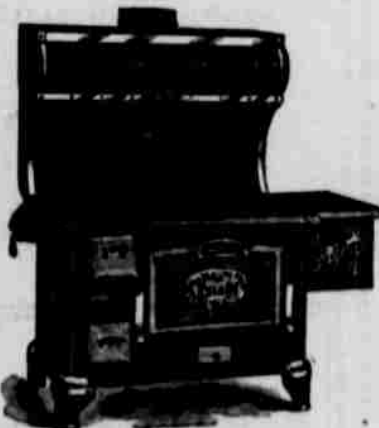
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